

ABOUT THE STATE

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST FROM DIFFERENT SECTIONS

The First Congregational church of West Brattleboro has extended a call to Rev. Arthur V. Woodworth of Hartford, Conn., to become its pastor.

Brandon has a man in the person of A. P. Jones who claims to be the oldest Mason in the state. He has been a Mason 61 years. Mr. Jones is 83 years old, and was made a Mason March 18, 1854.

G. W. Young was badly hurt recently on a large hook which hung from overhead in his barn in Nortonstown. In some way the hook caught in the corner of his eye, tearing the flesh up through his forehead, making a wound which it took ten stitches to close.

An X-ray photograph of the knee of Charles, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith of Rutland, which was thought to have been broken by contact with a couch when the child was playing with a cat, showed that a needle was imbedded in the knee, instead of a fracture having occurred.

In Marlboro within a few days, Lillian, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Worden, cut her face very badly when she slid into a barbed wire fence; George Watson fell into the pond while cutting ice and George Hughes was kicked in the face by a horse when he was trying to extricate from a scuttle hole, into which it had fallen.

Following the thefts of small sums of money from the Springfield high school building all the fall and winter, special steps were taken to investigate and last week Howard Housington, aged 16 years, was caught in the act of rifling a pocket in a coat in the teachers' locker. He admitted the former thefts and was sentenced to the state industrial school for the remainder of his minority.

Edward Wallace nearly lost his life at his room in Springfield a few nights ago. He left a gas stove lighted which is supplied by a coin meter, and the supply ran out during the night. The next morning the people in the lower part of the house put in another quarter with which to get breakfast and the gas came through the open stove into Mr. Wallace's room. He was unconscious when found by members of the family.

G. H. Miller of the Miller Brothers Automobile company at White River Junction has leased of Horace A. Colburn the two story fire proof building on the north side of Willow street in Rutland, vacated a few months ago by the Rutland Automobile company and will open an automobile agency and general repair shop at the quarters in the near future. The Miller company has a lease for one year with privilege of renewal. It is specified in the lease that the owner of the building shall make repairs and alterations to the extent of \$500 on reasonable notice of the lessee.

Died from Fall Down Stairs.

Charles L. Hilliard of Wallingford, aged 74 years, died Monday at his home from injuries sustained by falling down stairs a week ago. He was a member of Roberts post, G. A. R., and saw three years' service. Mr. Hilliard is survived by his wife and two sisters, Mrs. Nellie Gloag and Miss Caroline Hilliard of this town.

Two Coasting Accidents.

Fred Ryan, 22, sustained fracture of two ribs in his left side and a bad cut on the back of his head in a coasting accident in West Brattleboro Saturday evening. Mr. Ryan was enjoying his first slide on a traverse.

When near Mr. Blodgett's home, the traverse left the road while going at a very high speed, crossed the sidewalk and overturned. Mr. Ryan was thrown against a post in front of the Blodgett house, which caused his injuries. The two other passengers were not hurt. The traverse continued down the sidewalk.

Mr. Ryan was rendered unconscious. He was carried into his home, where Dr. G. B. Hunter of West Brattleboro attended him. He is doing well.

Eugene J. Bristol of Brattleboro, a young man who is employed as the Carpenter Organ Co., was seriously hurt Sunday night while coasting on Union hill. He died from the ears and there are several bruises on his head and face.

Woman's Heroism Helped to Save Man.

An explosion of gasoline used by mistake for kerosene in living up a fire in a stove resulted in painful burns for Alonzo Chamberlin of Townsend Sunday, and but for the heroic assistance of Mrs. George B. Whitney, wife of the union district school superintendent, the results might have been very serious. Throwing off her kimono after rushing into the frigid atmosphere, Mrs. Whitney wrapped the garment about Mr. Chamberlin, whose clothing was on fire, and helped roll him in the snow, extinguishing the blaze.

Mr. Chamberlin arose early and started a fire, but as it did not come up very fast he went for his kerosene can, intending to dash on a little oil. By mistake he picked up a can of gasoline and put some of it in the stove. Immediately there was an explosion that was heard across the street.

The Chamberlins keep house over Robinson's store, and the Whitneys live directly across the street. On hearing the explosion, Mrs. Whitney got out of bed, put her kimono over her night clothing, drew on her slippers and went down stairs, thinking perhaps the explosion might have been in her own home.

About that time Mr. Chamberlin emerged from the building where he lives, his clothing on fire, and Mrs. Whitney hastened to his assistance. Mr. Chamberlin, who is a son of Harrison H. Chamberlin of Brattleboro and a brother of Fred Chamberlin of the same town, was burned about the face and arms, but his condition is not serious. He is about 30 years old.

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ORANGE COUNTY FARMERS' ASS'N NOTES

The following notes are furnished for the week ending Jan. 15:

The county agent spent the week up to Friday in Burlington at the annual county agent conference and the dairy-men's association. At this conference held in Morrill hall under the auspices of the Vermont extension service were present all of the nine county agents at work in the state, Thomas Bradley, director of the extension service; Jay Coryell, assistant state leader, and H. J. Wilder, assistant in charge of county agent work in the East from the federal department of agriculture. A summary of the work of this conference is being prepared by Mr. Coryell and will be reported later.

The Vermont Dairy-men's association furnished the best program of any meeting of the county agent has had the privilege of attending. He was very sorry to note the very small representation from Orange county. While the general attendance was larger than ever, he saw but six from Orange county whom he knew. I think no one attending these meetings would regret the time and money they had spent after listening to the clear-cut recommendations of J. P. Orcutt of the Boston Chamber of Commerce on the milk situation, the straightforward statements of Mr. Putnam of New Hampshire on how he had built up his dairy herd to a profitable condition through the influence of the cow-test associations, or the very convincing figures of Professor Warren of Cornell on the factors affecting profits from a dairy farm. His figures, taken from actual farm records in New York, showed in case after case how the returns per cow, the diversity of crops sold from the farm and the size of the farm operations affected the labor income.

Saturday afternoon the Randolph Center Potato Growers' association held a meeting at the school hall, Randolph Center. The county agent spoke to a small but interested audience on the commercial fertilizer situation this year. It seemed to be the general opinion that this was a year to buy lightly of commercial fertilizers and make as good use as possible of our farm manures and ashes.

The week of Jan. 17-22 will be one of meetings over the county. Since last week's report meetings have been scheduled for South Vershire Friday afternoon, Thetford grange Friday evening and Randolph grange Saturday evening.

The week of Jan. 25-28 will be spent on the east side of the county, meetings being arranged for in Newbury Jan. 25, Topsham Jan. 27 and perhaps in Bradford and West Newbury. Part of the time will be spent on the Newbury Cow Test association.

Report of the week:

Farmers visited 0
Office calls 0
Letters 16
Meetings 1
Attendance 10
Miles traveled 147
E. H. Loveland,
County Agent.

LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE.

Appeal Made to Increase Membership in Vermont.

Editor of The Times,
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I am sending you under separate cover a book describing the history, organization and platform of the League to Enforce Peace. You are doubtless acquainted with the movement, but you will find the book well worth reading, if you have not seen it already.

The league does not hope or intend to stop the great war now raging. It has present a clean-cut, definite program for minimizing the occurrence of future wars. Mr. Taft is president of the league, President Lowell of Harvard is chairman of the executive committee, and Judge Alton B. Parker is the chairman of the committee on organization. The list of organizers contains many other distinguished names.

On Monday, Dec. 20, the charter members of the league resident in Vermont, together with others interested, organized the Vermont branch. Judge Henry C. Ide of St. Johnsbury was elected president, and Ralph E. Flanders of Springfield, secretary and treasurer. Hon. James B. Estee of Montpelier, Hon. John A. Mead of Rutland, and Joseph Fairbanks of St. Johnsbury form the state committee.

Will you bring the program of the league to the attention of your readers? Favorable editorial comment will be appreciated, and honest criticism will do no harm.

All persons interested are invited to correspond with the secretary, who will send literature explaining the proposals, free on request.

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For Fractured Skull While He Was Working in Quarry.

Rutland, Jan. 18.—Louis Kabush of Granville, N. Y., a slate quarryman, has brought suit in Rutland county court through John S. Dorsey of this city and M. D. Wheldon and Thomas F. Powers of Granville as counsel, against Norton Bros., of Pawlet, slate manufacturers, to recover damages of \$10,000 on the ground that he was permanently injured by an accident in the quarries last February, due to their negligence.

The allegation is that the defendants were careless in not removing from the bank of a quarry certain debris thrown out of the pit and that as the result the plaintiff was obliged to work in a dangerous place. On February 9 a large stone fell from the bank and struck him on the head, fracturing his skull and otherwise bruising him.

Higher Than Pikes Peak.

Ask any schoolboy to give the highest point in the state of Colorado, and nine out of ten will name Pikes peak. Pikes peak is 14,110 feet above sea level, but there are many higher peaks in Colorado. Mount Elbert, in Lake county, is one of the two highest points in the state, whose height has been determined by the United States geological survey and is 14,402 feet above sea level. Elbert mountain, in the same county, has the same elevation. Blanca peak, in Costilla county, is 14,390 feet high; Castle peak, in Gunnison and Pitkin counties, is 14,250 feet high; Evans mountain, in Clear Creek county, 14,200 feet; La Plata peak, in Chacony county, 14,352 feet; Quandy peak, in Summit county, 14,250 feet; San Luis mountain, in San Juan county, 14,140 feet; Uncompaghe peak, in Hinsdale county, 14,300 feet, and Wilson mountain, in Dolores county, 14,250 feet—all higher than Pikes peak.—Geological Survey Bulletin.

Sunset and Twilight.

Twilight is a phenomenon caused by atmospheric refraction. When the sun sets below the horizon we are not immediately plunged into the darkness of night. Although the sun is below our horizon, rays of solar light are bent or refracted by the terrestrial atmosphere and continue to furnish some slight illumination. The process continues with diminishing intensity until the sun is so far below the horizon that the refracting power of the atmosphere is no longer able to bend the rays enough to produce a visible effect. This time after sunset that the sun reaches such a position varies with the latitude of the place. There is less twilight at the tropic zone than at the temperature or frigid zone. This is due to less time taken by the sun's rays to pass through the atmosphere, at the tropic zone the sun's rays being perpendicular and at the temperate and frigid zones oblique.

Aeroplane Wings.

Various kinds of material including linen, silk, cotton, celluloid films and aluminum foil, have been tried for covering the wings of aeroplanes, but none has proved so satisfactory as far as linen covered with several coats of a rubber solution. This coating increases the strength of the linen about 5 per cent, makes it more enduring under varying weather conditions and causes it to stretch to an absolutely smooth surface, a feature that is of the utmost advantage in fast flights. Silk, which would seem to make an ideal covering on account of its lightness and strength, has been found unsatisfactory, as it does not withstand exposure to sun and rain and does not lend itself readily to the application of coating compounds.—London Answers.

Dumas' Last Jest.

Dumas the elder was the son of a general of Napoleon Bonaparte, who would take his soldiers by the breeches and fling them over the palisades to an assault.

Dumas inherited much of that same spirit. It is said that Dumas left Paris for the last time taking with him a single gold piece, which he solemnly laid on the mantelpiece of his room at Puy. Toward the end his eye wandered across the sickroom to this coin, and, pointing to it, he said to his son: "See there! Fifty years ago when I came to Paris I had one louis in my possession. Why am I accused of being a prodigal? I have preserved and possess it still. See! There it is!" This was Dumas' last jest.

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Analyzing a Master.

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Breslau's Checkered Career.

This history of the possession of Breslau shows that it has changed hands very often. Early in the eleventh century it was made the seat of a bishop and after having formed part of Poland became the capital of an independent duchy in 1163. In 1335 it was purchased by John, king of Bohemia, who retained it until 1400. It then changed hands and became subject to Bohemia once more in 1400, passing with the rest of Silesia to the Hapsburgs in 1526. It came under the authority of Frederick the Great in 1741 and was recovered by Austria in 1757 and regained by Frederick in the Seven Years' war. It has since been Prussian, except a few days in 1807 and again in 1813, when it was held temporarily by the French.

Our Army Rations.

The average daily ration of the United States army is made up as follows: Bacon, 12 ounces (or fresh meat, 20 ounces); bread, 18 ounces; beans, 2.4 ounces; potatoes, 20 ounces; prunes or preserves, 128 ounces; coffee, 1.12 ounces; sugar, 3.2 ounces; evaporated milk, 5 ounces; vinegar, .16 of a gill; salt, .64 ounce; pepper (black), .04 of an ounce; lard, .61 of an ounce; butter, .5 of an ounce.

At the Zenith.

"Pa, what does it mean when a public man is said to be at the zenith of his popularity?"

"It means, my son," replied the defeated candidate ruefully, "that he is about ready to hit the toboggan."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Love's Progress.

Knicker—How can you tell how long they have been married?

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WHEREAS, said court has assigned the 20th day of January next for examining and allowing the account of the administrator of the estate of said deceased and for a decree of the residue of said estate to the lawful claimants of the same, and ordered that public notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing this order three weeks successively previous to the day assigned in the Barre Daily Times, a newspaper published at the city of Barre, in said district.

THEREFORE, you are hereby notified to appear at the probate office in Montpelier in said district, on the day assigned, then and there to see cause, and to establish your right as heirs, legatees and lawful claimants to said residue.

Given under my hand, this 3d day of January, 1916.

FRANK J. MARTIN, Judge.

Jan-11-18

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